



Northern Michigan Weather Briefing

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Hazardous Weather Highlights

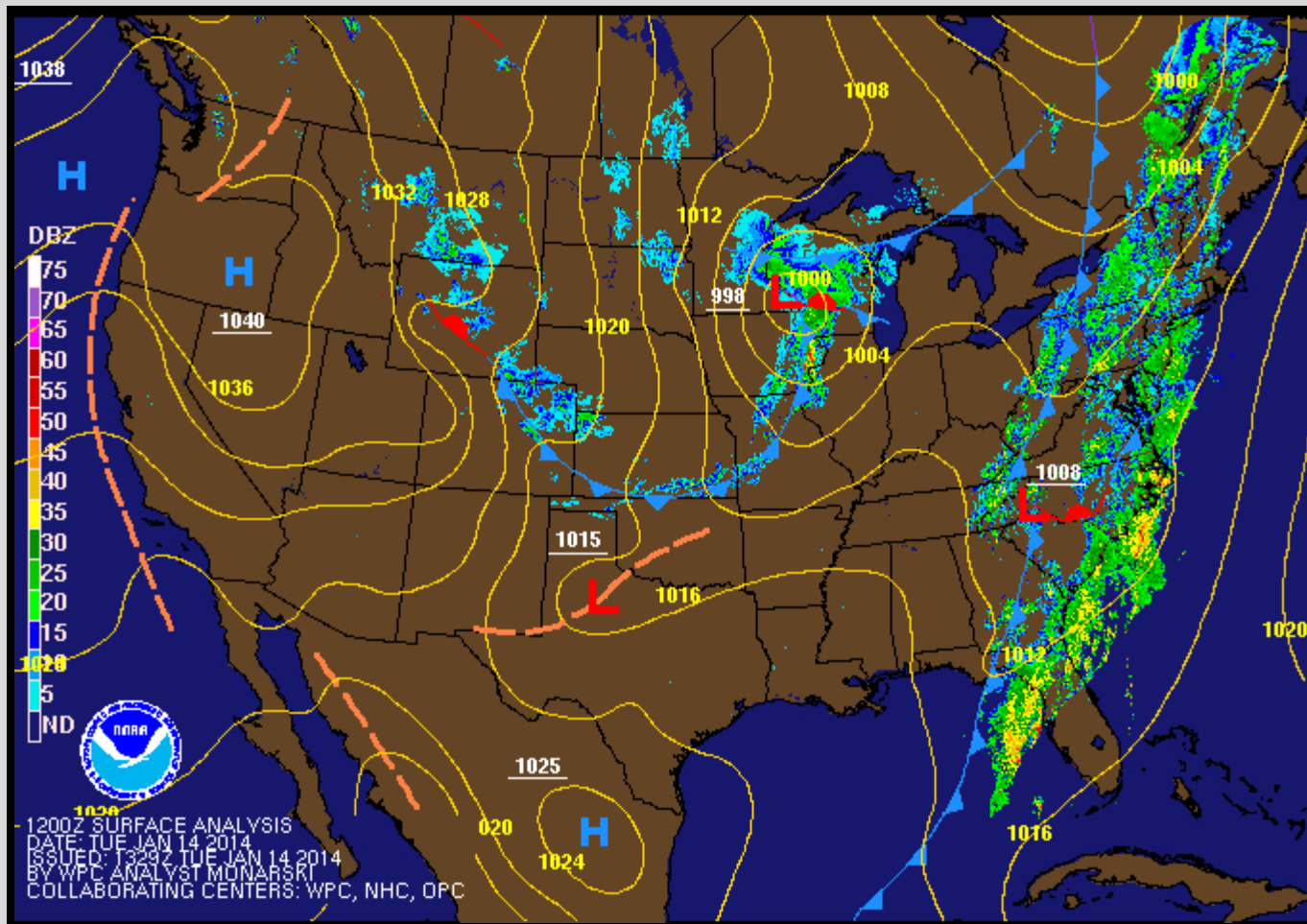
Today through Monday



What	Where	Timing	Impacts
Accumulating Snow Confidence: High	Much of northern Michigan	Today and Tonight	Slow and Hazardous Travel **Tue PM Commute** **Wed AM Commute**
Gale Force Winds Confidence: High	Portions of Lake Michigan	Tonight into Wednesday Morning	Hazardous Marine Conditions
Accumulating Lake Effect Snow Confidence: Moderate	Typical Snowbelts of Northern Michigan	Wednesday Night-Thursday Night	Slow and Hazardous Travel
Gale Force Winds Confidence: Moderate	Portions of Lake Michigan	Wednesday Evening-Thursday Morning	Hazardous Marine Conditions



Current Weather Map



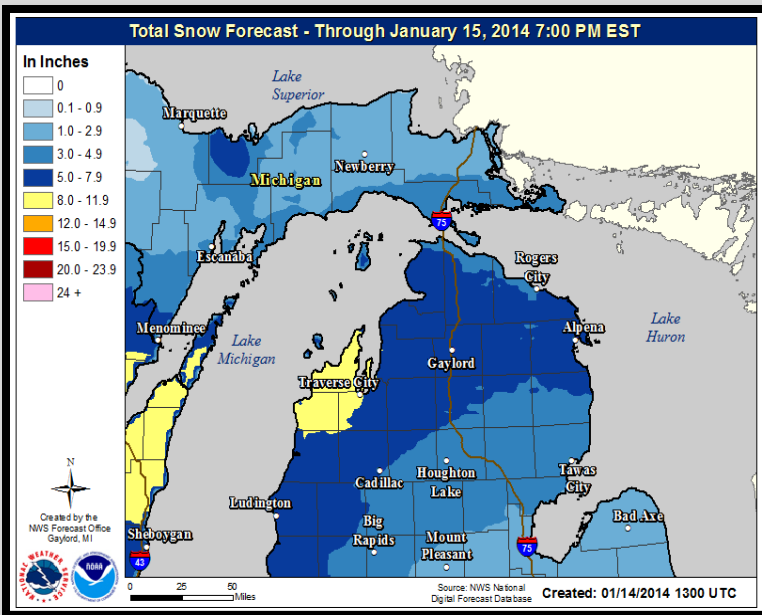


Winter Weather Summary

Today – Wednesday



Snowfall Forecast Through Wednesday



Snow

- Begins: 1-3 pm (west to east)
- **Heaviest: 4 pm to Midnight**
- Snow becomes lighter well after midnight and Wednesday Morning
- Snowfall Rates: Occasionally 1" per hour
- Snow Character: Average

Wind

- Through Midnight: Northeast 5-10 mph with gusts to 15 mph
- Overnight-Wednesday: North 10-15 mph with gusts to 20 mph
- Gales expected over Lake Michigan

Other Hazards

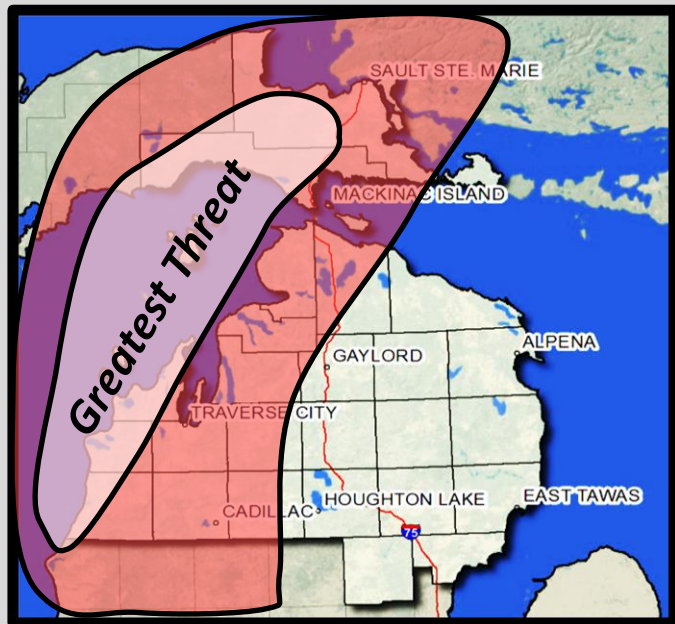
- Temperatures: Upper 20s today / Teens Tonight



Winter Weather Summary

Wednesday Night / Thursday

Preliminary Snowfall Threat Areas



Snow

- Light to Moderate Accumulations Possible
- Snow Character: Average to Dry

Wind

- Southwest 10-15 mph, gusts to 25 mph
- Some blowing/drifting snow possible
- Gales possible over Lake Michigan

Temps

- Teens Wednesday Night / 25-30 Thursday

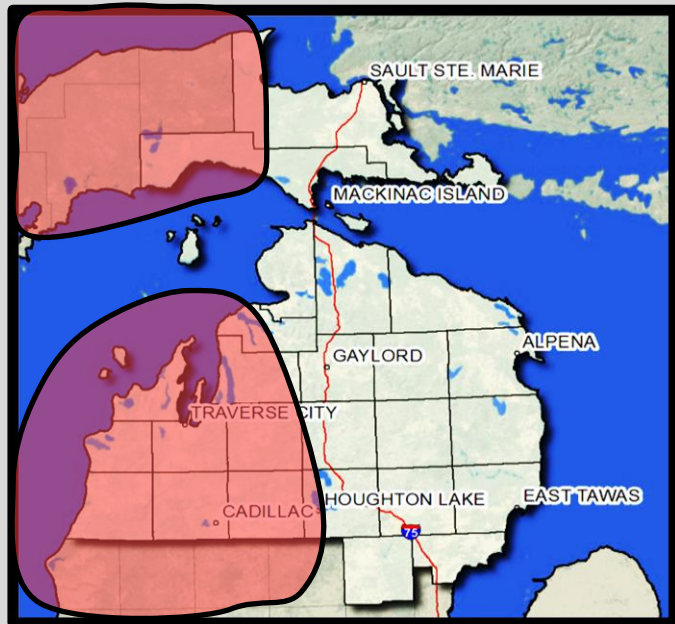


Winter Weather Summary

Thursday Night / Friday



Preliminary Snowfall Threat Areas



Snow

- Light to Moderate Accumulations
- Snow Character: Dry/Fluffy

Wind

- Northwest 10-20 mph

Temps

- Teens Thursday Night / 20s Friday



Outlook

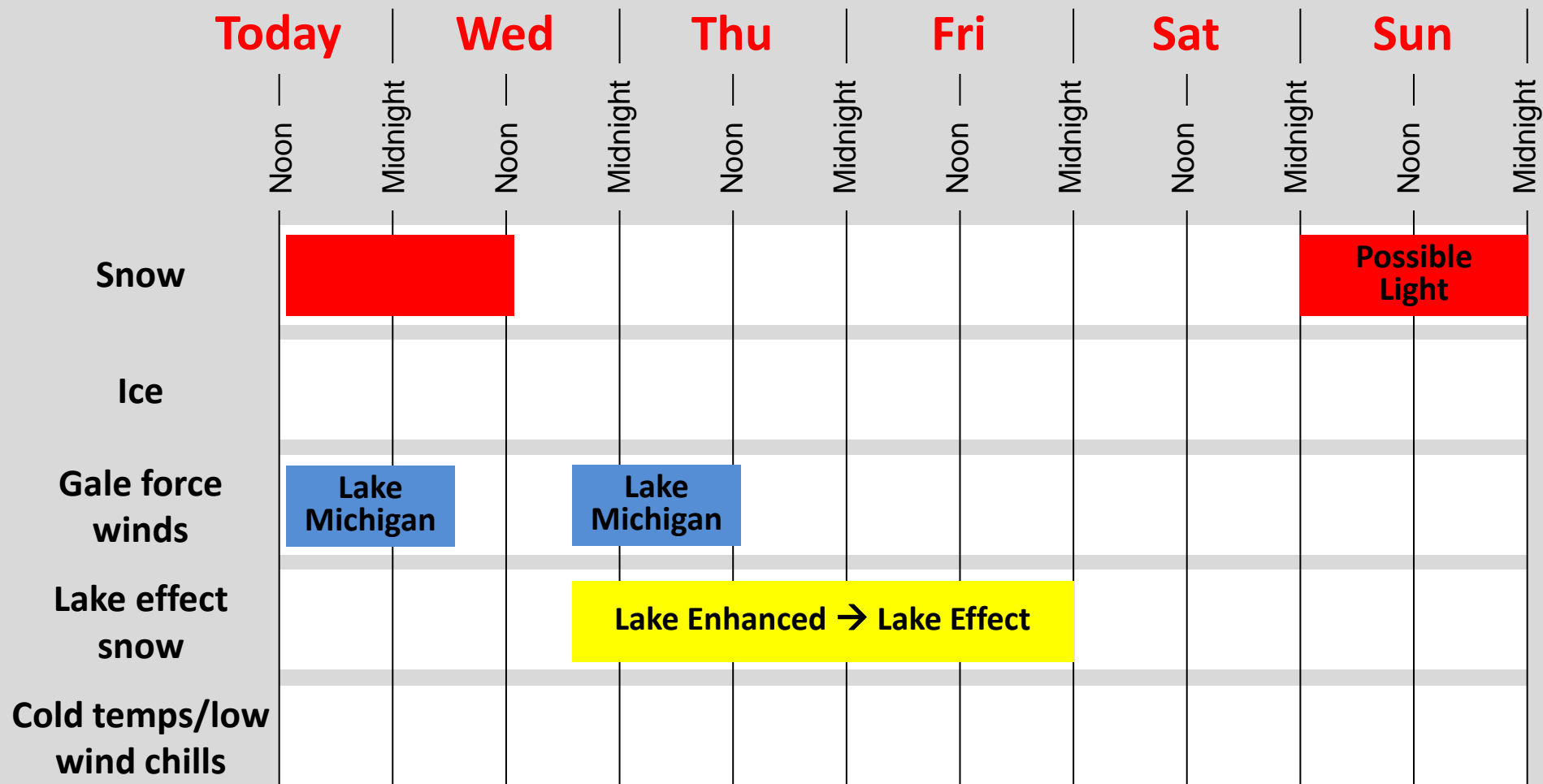
Upcoming Weekend



Precipitation	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Additional clipper system possible by Sunday, but any snow accumulations through the weekend look to be light at this time.
Temperatures	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Colder than normal through the period, but not quite to the degree of last week
Other	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Gusty west winds possible Sunday

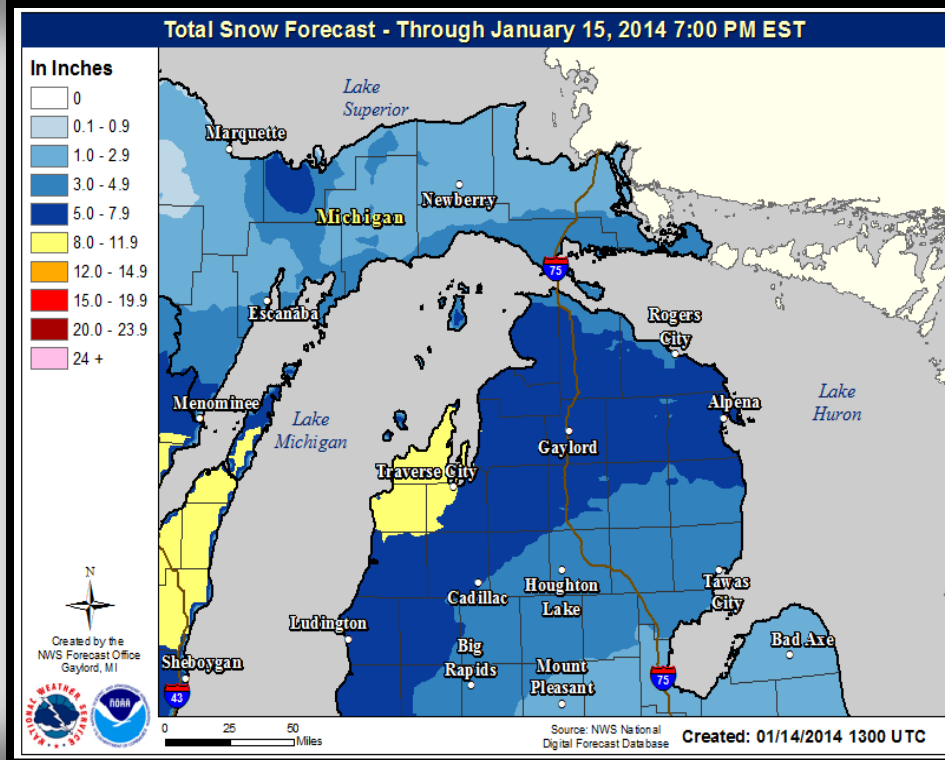


Hazards and Timing Overview





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